

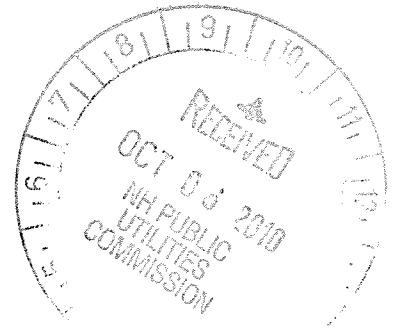
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Comments: I WAS JUST NOTIFIED BY MAIL THIS AFTERNOON THAT LRWC IS SCHEDULED TO MEET WITH THE COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE TOMORROW MORNING FOR APPROVAL OF BOTH A NEW PERMANENT RATE INCREASE PLUS A STEP INCREASE. I FIND THE PETITIONED RATES TO BE EXHORBITANT, PARTICULARLY AS MOST RESIDENTS OF LAKE OSSIPPEE VILLAGE ARE SEASONAL. I, AS A RETIREE AND RESIDENT OF THE COMMUNITY FOR 37 PLUS YEARS CANNOT ABSORB SUCH A HUGE INCREASE INTO MY FIXED INCOME. PLEASE TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THAT THE WATER RATES HAVE RISEN FROM \$130 PER YEAR PRIOR TO LRWC'S OWNERSHIP TO AN ANTICIPATED RATE OF \$730 FOR 2011. THANK YOU FOR HEARING MY CONCERN.